

Battalion Logistics

Your soldiers are settling into a well developed base camp in Kuwait. This base camp has more amenities than most of us realized. There are several fast food kiosks, such as Pizza Hut, Taco Bell and Baskin Robins. Additionally there are two small PX's, barber shops, alterations and gift shops. Our Soldiers can get almost anything they could desire to include a Harley Davidson motor cycle. Yes, I did say a Harley! CSM Lopez found the Harley Dealer at a nearby camp. So, if you see an unexpected charge on your credit card for about \$12K, know that you are now a proud Harley owner (delivery in 10 to 12 months). On a serious note, there is a free laundry facility and they even fold! But they don't match socks. Our dining facility is quite good. Especially on Wednesdays, when they serve 'surf and turf,' last week we had Alaskan King Crab and T-Bone steaks! Rumor has it that we'll have lobster tails and shrimp next week.

We have been experiencing temperatures in the mid 90s and lows in the 70s, with sunny clear skies...everyday. In fact, instead of rain, we are getting localized sand storms when the wind comes from the northwest.

By the next publishing, your Steel Spike Soldiers will be north of the border defending the weak from those would be oppressors. You are always in our thoughts as we tend to our daily business.

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Sleeping Quarters at our Camp in Kuwait
(Photo by Lahood, OCT 2005)